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ABSTRACT

A cutting system for an installation (A) for producing extruded plastic or laminated tube pipes. A cutting device has a cradle that can be reciprocated relative to a base and on top of which the cutting device rests. The system is characterized in that the cradle on which the cutting device rests is configured as a linear motor and can be displaced relative to the base.